| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Faridabad | 03 | 03 | - | - | 03 | 6,321/- |
| Jammu | 34 | 27 | 07 | - | 27 | ,02,680/- |
| Kanpur | 531 | 320 | 53 | 158 | 274 | 39,78,704/- |
| Thrissur | 120 | 111 | 09 | NIL | 111 | 21,87,330/- |
| Kolkata | 01 | - | 01 | - | - | |
| Madurai | 03 | 02 | - | 01 | 02 | 15,150/- |
| Mumbai | 16 | - | 16 | - | - | |
| Nagpur | 140 | 69 | 68 | 03 | 64 | 7,45920/- |
| Bhubneshwar | 26 | 19 | 03 | 4 | 18 | 2,10921/- |
| Pondicherry | 173 | 148 | 25 | NIL | 148 | 17,70537/- |
| Pune | 150 | 96 | NIL | 54 | 95 | 17,98,455/- |
| Chandigarh | 10 | 04 | 05 | 01 | 04 | 55,324/- |
| Jaipur | 69 | 05 | 08 | 56 | 03 | 16,524/- |
| Surat | 18 | 15 | 02 | 01 | 15 | 1,01,160/- |
| Thane | 14 | 04 | 10 | - | 04 | 1,01,565/- |
| Vododara | 23 | - | 23 | - | - | - |
| Varanasi | 77 | - | 77 | - | - | - |
| Vijayawada | 01 | - | 01 | - | - | - |
| Kollam | 132 | 112 | 13 | 7 | 112 | 15,13,890/- |
| Salem | 31 | 25 | 1 | 5 | 25 | 1,97,829/- |
| Patna | 5 | 4 | Nil | 1 | NIL | 15,900/- |
| Ranchi | 13 | - | - | 13 | NIL | NIL |
| Bangalore | 15 | - | 15 | - | NIL | NIL |
| TOTAL: | 2118 | 1353 | 403 | 362 | 1294 | 1,75,53,616/- |

**Disputes pertaining to Employees Provident Fund**

3772. SHRI R. SHUNMUGASUNDARAM: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) how many disputes pertaining to Employees Provident Fund and failure in contribution to the Fund are pending without disposal before the Department and at the Tribunal; how much amount is due;

(b) how many penal proceedings have been initiated; and

(c) what measures are contemplated to speed up the disposal of the pending disputes and for collecting the dues?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES): (a) The number of 7A cases pending before the assessing authorities as 31.03.2006 was 20114 while 4140 cases were pending before the Appellate Tribunal as on 31.12.2006. The amount due can be known only after finalisation of assessment/disposal.

(b) The number of cases launched under Section 14 of the Employees' Provident Funds & Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 and the number of complaints filed under Section 406/409 of IPC during the year 2005-06 were 8005 and 457 respectively.

(c) Progress of the pending 7A as well as court cases is monitored regularly. Standing counsels have been impressed upon to get expeditious disposal of the cases and prayers are made to courts accordingly.

Recovery of dues is effected in accordance with the provisions of the Employees' Provident Funds & Miscellaneous Provision Act, 1952. This includes prosecution under Section 14 of the Act, filing of complaints under Section 406/409 of IPC, attachment of properties/bank accounts and arrest of defaulters.

**Child Labour**

3773. SHRI A. VIJAYARAGHAVAN: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether incidents of employment of children under 14 as domestic and in hospitality sector were reported after recent notification banning the above;

(b) if so, the details, including the number of such cases reported and action taken, State-wise, category-wise, as on date;

(c) whether the activities that have high incidence of child labour have been identified;

(d) if so, the details of such activities State-wise, categaory-wise, as on date;

(e) if not, whether steps would be taken to do so; and

(f) the details of steps, taken to implement the recent notification on child Labour, and to rejuvenate children rescued from child labour?